

**BEFORE THE
KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

**ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF OWEN ELECTRIC)
COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE)
OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY) CASE NO. 2024-00269
AUTHORIZING THE BID ON A FRANCHISE TO)
SERVE THE CITY OF COVINGTON, KENTUCKY)**

APPLICATION

Comes now the Applicant, Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc. (“Owen Electric” or “Applicant”) by and through counsel, pursuant to KRS 278.020(4) and 807 KAR 5:001, Sections 14, 15(1), and related sections, submits its Application requesting that the Public Service Commission (“Commission”) enter an Order on or before August 28, 2024 granting a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) to bid for a franchise from the City of Covington (“City”), respectfully states as follows:

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 14(1), Applicant’s mailing address is Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc., P.O. Box 400, 8205 Highway 127 North, Owenton, Kentucky 40359. The electronic mailing address of Applicant is psc@owenelectric.com.

Owen Electric states that it incorporated in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, on June 9, 1937, and attests that it is in good standing with the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 15(1)(a)2, the name of the governmental agency offering the franchise is the City of Covington, Kentucky.

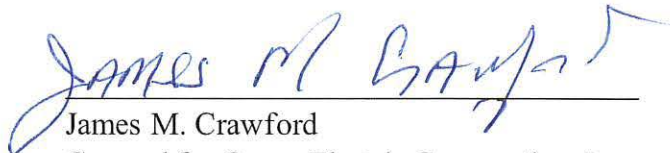
Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 15(1)(a)3, the type of franchise offered by the City and its Legal Notice is outlined in City of Covington, Kentucky - Invitation to Bid, provided as Exhibit A to this Application.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 15(1)(a)4, there is and will continue to be a demand and need for electric service in the areas of the City subject to the franchise, and Owen Electric desires to obtain a franchise in accordance with the bidding protocol established by the City.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 15(1)(b), if Owen Electric is successful in acquiring said franchise, it shall file a copy thereof with the Commission using the electronic tariff filing system.

WHEREFORE, Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc. respectfully requests that the Commission enter an Order on or before August 28, 2024 granting a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to bid for and acquire an electric franchise from the City of Covington.

Dated at Owenton, Kentucky, this 16th day of August, 2024.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James M. Crawford". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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